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REPORT

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1. Between 0700 and 2000 on 10 September 1954, 8 T-34/85 tanks and 1 truck were stored in the area of the Schoeneweide railroad station. Approximately 80 soldiers arrived on truck                     . At 2000, loading had not yet begun.
2. On 1 September, 6 trucks, 1 field kitchen and 60 soldiers with straw mattresses were entrained in Eberswalde. The soldiers were entrained on five boxcars.
3. On 1 September, it was learned that the Ruedersdorf Forest was occupied to capacity by troops quartered in tent camps. The entire area was cordoned off. Considerable tank engine noise was heard from the forest at night.

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Comment. According to the weapons and motor vehicle                      the tanks observed belonged to a tank detail of the 7th Gds Mech Div.

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